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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:

SCOTT A. ROSENBERG, ET AL.

Application No.: 08/993,104

Filed: December 18, 1997

For: **VOLTAGE SIGNAL MODULATION SCHEME**

Art Group: 2774

Examiner: F. Nguyen

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicants for the above-identified application respectfully Petition the Commissioner for a two (2) month extension of time, extending the period for response to May 15, 2003, from the Examiner's Answer dated January 15, 2003. The petition filing fee of \$410.00 and a Continued Prosecution Application (CPA) and Preliminary Amendment are attached.

If it should be determined that a longer extension of time is required to prevent this application from being abandoned, please charge any additional fees to Deposit Account No. 02-2666. A copy of the Fee Transmittal is enclosed for deposit account charging purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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